വച്ചിരുന്ന പ്രൊസീഡിംഗ്സിൽ പറയുന്ന സംഗതികളൊന്നും ഡിപ്പാർട്ട്മെൻറിന്റെ കാര്യങ്ങൾ പെടാത്തതല്ല എന്നു ഞാൻ ധൈര്യമായി പറയാം.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan:—Cannot the recommendations of the Members be divulged?

Mr T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—The recommendations are practically the same as those embodied in the official order.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—Since this matter refers to the reform of the Secretariat, the very pivot of the whole administration, do not the Government think it desirable to publish the recommendations of the committee?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—I have nothing more to say by way of answer. The matter has been fully elucidated in the concluding remarks of the Hon'ble President yesterday. It is a question of administrative reform.

Subscriptions and Donations—1110.

96. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar:—Will the Government be pleased to place a statement on the table showing the amount spent under the head of subscriptions and donations by the Government in 1110?

Mr. P V. Subramania Ayyar:—A statement of expenditure incurred up to 2nd Karkadagam 1110 is appended. *(Vide Appendix I).*

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar:—Who is the authority that gives the grants of these subscriptions and donations?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—The sanction of His Highness the Maharaja is taken before the grant of every one of these items.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar:—Is it not the practice to sanction these amounts in a lump?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—Every item of grant will have different Diwan's Proceedings.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar:—Here the grant is made to the same person and to the same purpose?

Mr. T. Narayana Menon:—The grant was for a definite quantity but the deliveries were made at different times.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ.— ഇതിൽ പലക്കും മരങ്ങളെല്ലാം ദാനം ചെയ്യുതായിട്ടു പാഞ്ഞു കാണുന്നുണ്ട്. പെരിങ്ങോട്ടുകരയിലുള്ള സോമശേഖരം ക്ഷേത്രത്തിന്റെ ആവശ്യത്തിനു് മാധിപതി വിദ്യാനന്ദ സ്വാമികളുടെ അപേക്ഷ ഗവർമ്മെൻറിനു കിട്ടുകയുണ്ടായോ?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—I want notice.

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Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar:—Does the Government follow any definite principle in giving these subscriptions and donations?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—Of course. It is His Highness' prerogative to make such donations.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar:—Is it the practice of Government to earmark a certain amount in the budget every year?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—Yes.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar:—What is the amount paid as subscriptions and donations for the period covered by this answer?

Mr T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—I want notice.

Mr. P. J. Alexander:—Why should the cost of books be included in the subscriptions?

Mr T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—It is the price paid.

Mr. P. J. Alexander:—He delivered the book and the price was paid. That is all.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—The subscription was paid and the books delivered.

Mr. P. J. Alexander:—Rs. 500 is the price of books but Rs. 600 is paid.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—You subscribe when you are a subscriber and donation is a particular amount for a particular fund.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar:—What is done with these books?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:— These books are distributed among the several offices.

97. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar:—Will the Government be pleased to state the names of persons to whom donations and subscriptions were given in the year 1110 with the amount given to each?

Mr. P. V. Subramania Ayyar:—Vide answer to Question No. 96.

Electrification of the Trichur and Ernakulam towns.

98. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar:—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether they did anything with the four lakhs of rupees provided in this year's budget for the electrification of the Trichur and Ernakulam towns;

(2) if not, whether they have given up those schemes;

(3) whether they have any other scheme in hand;

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